1 2 3 4 5 6 7 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 9 10 DONNIE PHILLIPS, 11 2:02-cv-1296-GEB-JFM-P Plaintiff, 12 RULING ON DEFENDANT'S IN LIMINE MOTIONS V. 13 TED SANCHEZ, 14 Defendant. 15 16 Defendant's in limine motions filed August 8, 2006, are addressed below. 17 18 Motion to Exclude Testimony of Inmate Nhia Yang 19 Defendant moves to exclude the testimony of Inmate Nhia 20 Yang. Whether Inmate Yang has relevant information will be decided at 21 trial. Therefore, this motion is denied. 22 Motion to Exclude Declarations 23 Defendant moves to exclude Plaintiff's "propose[d] use [of] 24

Defendant moves to exclude Plaintiff's "propose[d] use [of] the declarations of Inmate T. Weatherspoon and Correctional Officer Donald Jones . . ." (Def.'s Mot. at 3.) Defendant indicates the motion is made because "Defendant anticipates that [P]laintiff will attempt to use these declarations" at trial. (Id.) The motion is denied since this is an issue that can be determined at trial.

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Motion to Preclude Plaintiff from Offering his Trial Exhibits

Defendant seeks to prevent Plaintiff from using "trial exhibits not included in the defense exhibit list," arguing "[P]laintiff has failed to provide a copy of his exhibits [as required by the Supplement to the Pretrial Order]." (Id. at 4.) Defendant does not clearly specify what standard applies to the determination of this motion. Therefore, the motion is denied.

Motion to Preclude Mention of the "Furious Folsom Fifty"

Defendant moves under Federal Rules of Evidence 401, 402 and 403 for an order excluding any evidence on "the fictitious 'Furious Folsom Fifty.'" (Id. at 5.) Defendant has not provided enough information regarding this matter for an in limine ruling; therefore, this motion is denied.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 10, 2006

/s/ Garland E. Burrell, Jr. GARLAND E. BURRELL, JR. United States District Judge